House Resolution No. 901

Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to honor remarkable Show-Me State couples who have experienced the good fortune of success in marriage, a most delightful task which this legislative body embraces with great enthusiasm; and

Whereas, Frank David Mills and Carol Ann Creek were joined in holy matrimony by exchanging their sacred nuptial vows during a beautiful ceremony on January 23, 1953, in Harrison, Arkansas; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Mills of Ozark, Missouri, commemorated the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary on January 25, 2003, at Chardonnay Restaurant in Springfield; and

Whereas, Frank and Carol Mills have been blessed with a wonderful family whose members include four children, Debbie Cresswell, Cherie Linder, Julie Avery, and Leslie Worley, and fourteen grandchildren; and

Whereas, now retired, Frank Mills has compiled an impressive list of achievement that includes working at GMAC for twenty-six years and Hillyard for twelve years, showing Foxtrotters, serving as a football referee for the Springfield Public Schools, and playing golf; and

Whereas, also retired, Carol Mills has enjoyed recognition by working as a Secretary in the dental offices of Dr. Hammons and Dr. Schatz; toiling at Associated Wholesale Grocers for ten years; serving one year as Secretary of Horton Smith's 9-Hole Ladies League, and participating in such hobbies as bridge, bowling, sewing, and golf; and

Whereas, during their half century together, Frank and Carol Mills have made a spirited effort to keep their relationship fresh and alive, and have cherished each other every day in sickness and in health with the love so deep in their hearts:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Frank and Carol Mills and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Frank David Mills.

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 901, adopted March 18, 2003.